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## LOCALS



Frank McDiarmid challenges any one to debate the Tractor Versus Horse. Mac will talk for the Human Society. There is no mention of who will put up the Oyster Supper.

A letter from Red Cross Headquarters in Calgary to Mrs. W. M. Cotter acknowledging Alderson's contribution of \$180.00 for three Hospital beds in the new Princess Patricia Hospital will be published next.

Mrs. Frank Steed and the Misses Steed are on an extended visit to Mr. Steed's parents at Aspland, Ind. Frank will go down later.

Mrs. E. K. Johnson and Mrs. A. J. Drummond are collecting for the Red Cross. Although the ladies only started on Monday at time of writing, the Fund is now over the \$100 dollar mark. A list of donors will appear later.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cotter are spending a couple of days in Calgary. Guy Hamilton is acting Postmaster.

Wheat and Flax prices are keeping up fine. A Tripoli farmer sold 97 bushels of wheat for \$160.00 to the Stuart Elevator.

Mrs. Rev. J. White of Gleichen and little daughter Irene were guests of Mrs. F. C. Woolven last week. Mrs. White is the mother of Eddie White of the Union Bank staff.

It is reported that Suffield will petition for a bank.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church are delighted over the fine success scored by them on Wednesday with their Sale of Work and Chicken Pie Supper. A very large crowd sat down to the bountiful repast. Many were present from out of town points, including a large contingent that motored in from Rainy Valley. Other out of town guests noticed were Miss Taber of Medicine Hat, Mr. Gulick, Calgary and Mr. Ellington of Medicine Hat who rendered several vocal solos in splendid voice. Miss Chrystal also sang two delightful solos during the evening. The proceeds amounted to almost \$70.00.

Following the supper a splendid debate on Consolidated Schools was presided over by Mrs. A. E. Ames. For the Affirmative in support of Consolidated Rev. T. Taylor and Mrs. Emery were sponsors. For the negative or County School System Dr. McEwan and Miss Chrystal spoke. All the speakers acquitted themselves admirably. It developed into a regular high-brow talk fest. The humorous well thought word thrusts of both sides pleased the audience immensely. The judges Messrs. Wood, Hall and Thompson decided for the Affirmative.

## Alberta Hotel

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Monday, Nov. 13, 1916

Watch for our ad. next week. It will interest you.

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# WHAT VICTORY IN THE BALKANS WILL MEAN TO EASTERN ALLIES

## SMALL NATIONS TO SECURE MORE TERRITORY

Should Success Crown the Efforts of the Allies in their Operations, Serbia, Italy, Rumania, and Russia will Acquire much Valuable Territory from the Enemy

Should the armies of the Allies, now operating between the Istrian Iriden and Galicia, and from Carpathia to the Black sea, succeed in their aims, 100,000 square miles will eventually be taken from Austria-Hungary. This territorial gain, before the war a population of 17,000,000, or just one-eighth of the total population of the Dual Monarchy, the geographical divisions by which these parts of Austria and Germany are known are as follows:

The "Iriden (the southern half), the coast of the Black sea, the islands (with the islands of the Adriatic, but not the Ionian), the portion left for Serbia, and the portion left for Italy. The Iriden, or the portion of Dalmatia, south of the mouth of the Neretva River, Bosnia, Herzegovina, and the portion of Dalmatia will fall to Serbia; Transylvania, Bulgaria, and the Banat of Germany will go to Rumania. Russia will go to Rumania. Galicia will be given to Poland.

The "Iriden" will take some 13,000 square miles, having a population of 2,000,000. Of this population less than 800,000 are Italian and the majority are Italian. The Iriden, the islands, and the Slovens. Slovens, however, will be given to Rumania.

Russia will receive 36,000 square miles, having a population of 4,800,000. Of this population little more than 1,000,000 are German, 1,000,000 are Magyar, 700,000 German and 2,000,000 Slav. Slav in the Banat, Russia, will be given to Rumania.

Russia will get Galicia entirely, having an area of just over 30,000 square miles, and a population of slightly more than 8,000,000. Practically all of this population, save for the Jews, is Magyar. The Magyar, 1,000,000, and the German, 2,000,000, of the fairest bits of the Alps, some of the prettiest parts of places of towns, will fall to Italy's share.

In addition, in taking Trieste, and the Iriden, the Allies will get the Istrian peninsula, which will give the great modern city of Trieste, one of the finest ports in the Mediterranean basin, and Pola, the chief naval station of Austria. Along the Dalmatian coast, the Iriden, and other splendid harbors and such famous cities as Zara, Spalato, Sebenico, Pula, and the like, the Iriden islands of the Adriatic will give her command of the Adriatic and site will be given to Italy's share.

If Fiume remains to Hungary and Austria and Hungary continues to exist, then the Iriden will be given to the greater, Bosnia, Dalmatia, and Slavonia, but her share, or portion of Slavonia, has an area of 1,000,000 square miles, materially more than that of Serbia. The Iriden, the Iriden, the German-Austrian, and in doing so, will add 2,000,000 Magyars and Germans.

That was all. The officer understood. The captain was right. It was an unmerciful waste of life, but the Allies, the cause would have served the purpose. Only when in danger of being torpedoed one forgot occasionally the virtue of economy.

That is the spirit of the British navy.

**Mustn't Waste Good Shells**

## The Air Passage Of the Channel

### The Routes of Future Commerce Above the Sea

Ever since the war began, with England and France fighting shoulder to shoulder, the question of the Napoleonic battle for the sea has been renewed discussion of a channel to connect the two countries. It has been assumed that the war has demonstrated the necessity of such a channel, and that the argument against it, that it would be a source of military weakness to have a single channel, has been forgotten. The British, however, have not yet made up their minds to do this. The Germans, however, have.

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## German Rat Trap

### Deafles, Devices Set by Hand in Trenches Which They Destroy

"Mention was made recently of the 'tortoise-bomb' which the Hun scatters about his trenches before he dashes into them. What is this 'thing' which burns with the burst on the lightest contact? Our men, recently have made acquaintance with it in the enemy trenches. They are constructed on the principle of the old-fashioned 'rat-trap'—the 'rat' that clasps together when a spring has been released. They are a sort of trap, a sort of leg of a soldier who reluctantly trod on the 'platine' in the trap. The trap is set with loose earth. In wet weather it is concealed in the mud. Our troops, however, have been successful in defeating the Piccadilly. There ought to be a splendid opening in the sky. The routes of commerce of the future lie, above, not at the bottom of the sea, but upon the French coast."

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## Britain's Need of Grain

### An authoritative estimate places the importers' requirements at 392,000,000 bushels, and the imports reduced to 360,000,000 owing to dearness of wheat and also freight. Exporters' requirements will be reduced to 260,000,000, leaving 34,000,000 for North America. The rest of the world, America will be called upon largely during the entire season to supply importers' needs.

Did Not Fulfill Requirements

Once a high-school principal was having a dispute with one of his teachers, a vivacious young lady. She claimed that the teacher was mankind as a whole, while "men" always signified the masculine gender.

"That was all. There were exceptions, and triumphantly quoted: 'Enough of a single word to hold a box of pie unharmed.' The young lady answered deprecatingly: 'That won't do, for you, but genders are mentioned three—'

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**Frank Creature**

The most remarkable thing is to hold a box of pie unharmed, the latter part of last year. The Montague, which is now on her way across the Pacific, was recently overhauled at Hong Kong.

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## Germany's Sea "Victory" Is Now Explained

### Officer of German Torpedo Boat Throws Light on a Dark Subject

The world has had an opportunity of reading the official report of the battle of Jutland, written by the chief of the German Fleet. This document has been allowed to be made public. We have the speech of the Kaiser's flambouyant speech to the effect that he had never been so successful as ever for destroying the power of the British navy. But Germany has just issued the official account of the battle, from the German point of view. This account, like the German torpedo boat T-47, is published under German admiral command. It is the account of the German people that the "victory" was not just a wonderful victory.

The narrative contains a somewhat non-committal account of how Vice-Admiral Scheer, in command of the German fleet, in the middle of an engagement. This is a fact that has not been denied. It is also a fact that it was not his ship was sunk. The Germans so speedily left the battle area and made for Wilhelmshaven, and the German fleet, to get their application in. The C.P.R. is going to do its own account with the German fleet, and the German Government will shortly outline a plan of a comprehensive nature which will be generally applied to the situation.

**Getting the Submarines**

### Policy of Mystery in Terrifying to the Germans

The policy which the British have adopted in the sinking or capturing German submarines and carrying nothing about it, in order to alarm the Germans, has been a most effective way of keeping the German fleet from getting into the sea.

The narrative contains a somewhat contradictory on this point. He continually speaks of the German fleet as being the most powerful in the world, and that the German cruisers found themselves at the British fleet.

He also tells how "the little British" were beaten by the British.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER, 9th, 1916

At time of writing the opportunity is still open for any farmer in the Alderson district to haul in the first load of grain for the Patriotic Fund. Haul it to any of the elevators. The elevator man will make the cheque out to the Secretary of the Fund and you Mr. Farmer will get the credit for a splendid act. In this year of plenty there should be a load from every farm for this cause, the cause that protects the women and children left behind by the brave boys at the front who are laying down their lives in the cause of World freedom. The patriotic fund has a claim on us that we can't get away from, and the News makes no apology for continually bringing the Fund before our readers' attention. We were highly honored recently in being appointed Vice President of the local fund and we hope the local fund will not suffer on that account. One young farmer slipped us a nice little sum last week down at the Picture Show. He also said when he cashed his grain cheques there was more coming. That's the spirit that makes this a good old world. W. M. Cotter is Secretary of the Fund for Alderson. Don't make it a few bit affair, that will only get the fund along at a snail's pace. The minimum considered should be at least \$5.00 or \$10.00. Smaller amounts than that should go to the Red Cross or Belgian Relief. Give liberally to the Patriotic Fund. Thank you.

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## SEE OUR AGENT

**The Alberta Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Company Limited**  
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FRESH MEATS OF ALL KINDS  
Our Prices are Reasonable.  
We can prove it.

Cash Paid for Beef Hides.

HANSON BROS., Proprietors.

## THE SECRET OF THE SUBMARINE

## THE STORY TO DATE.

Today the submarine is developed. Cleo murders her American girl friend and risks instant death to outwit those who torment her and keep her fortune from her.

## CHAPTER TENTH.

Hook Barnach arrives on the scene and saves Hope's life by preventing Mahlin from chopping the cable across the chasm. Hook makes a good job of it by hurling Mahlin over the cliff. Suddenly an aeroplane appears. Morton and Olga are in it. Hope and Cleo attempt to escape in the cable basket, but Morton, not to be fooled, opens fire upon them.

Hope returns the fire, sending a shot through the gasoline tank of the machine, enveloping the occupants with fire. The air craft heads straight for the ground, exploding when it lands. Aviator Smith with police possess near spot and fires at Morton, who with Olga is uninjured. Morton shoots Smith, and with Olga behind him races to freedom on a motorcycle.

Hope, Cleo and Hook are attacked by the spies. Cleo, in hands of Satauna, nearly death. Hope to rescue, is caught in quicksands. Cleo sees him struggle. She escapes and climbs down a grape vine. Hope just strong enough to grasp her ankle when the vine is suddenly cut at the top. Mahlin laughs in glibish glee.

## Free Seed Grain and Potatoes

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a distribution of free seed of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to the coming farmers. "The samples for general distribution will consist of spring wheat (about 5 lbs.), white corn (about 4 lbs.), barley (about 6 lbs.), and field pea (about 5 lbs.)." These will be sent out from Ottawa. A distribution of potatoes in samples of about 3 lbs. will be carried on from several of the experimental farms, the Central Farm at Ottawa supplying only the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. All samples will be sent free by mail. Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm. As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early. Requests received after the end of December will probably be too late. Anyone desiring a sample should write (post free) to the Dominion Cerealist, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, for an application blank.

Remember the News will be sent to any address in the U. S. until the first of the year for 40 cents.

## LOANING LIBRARY.

The following books have been placed in the News Loanning Library and may be had for periods of two week per for the nominal cost of 10 cents:

By Gene Stratton Porter.  
At the Foot of the Rainbow  
Laddie.

Michael O'Halloran.  
A Girl of the Birchberast.  
Freckles.

The Harvester.  
By John Fox, Jr.

The Trail of the Lonesome Pine.  
The Shepherd of Kingdom Come.  
Crittenden.

A Mountain Europa.  
The Kentuckians.  
Christmas Eve on Lonesome.

By Booth Tarkington.  
The Gentleman from Indiana.  
Monsieur Beaucaire.

The Two Van Rerels.

The Flirt.

Penrod.

The Quest of Quasimodo.

By Morgan Robertson.

The Grain Ship.

Over The Border.

Three Laws add the Golden Rule

Out on the Pam-Pams. By Henry.

The Lost Island. By Capt. Gilson.

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Wherever we may roam.  
There's no flag like the old flag  
No country like our own."

UNION  
BANK  
OF CANADA

of Canada, in her name and your own. In the family's financial progress by opening a Joint Account in the UNION BANK

of Canada, in her name and your own. You will find it a very convenient arrangement, for then either can attend to the banking when in town, making deposits or withdrawing money. In case of death, the balance automatically goes to the survivor.

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GENERAL  
BLACKSMITHS  
ALBERTA

We are fully equipped to fill your Fall Requirements.  
ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY  
WESTBOUND

On and after October 29th

No. 3 11.35 a.m.

No. 1 23.35 p.m.

No. 1 stops on flag.

No. 4 8.12 p.m.

## SUCCESSFUL DEMONSTRATION.

C. T. Hildahl, Secretary.

On Tuesday morning at the farm of Tim Swanby, near Alderson, a demonstration of the Case 10-20 Tractor, pulling three plows in stubble, was given, before quite a few farmers interested in the capabilities of a small tractor. This tractor pulled the three plows at a depth of from 6 to 8 inches with apparent ease. The spectators were well pleased with the demonstration, and prospects of selling a lot of these tractors in the spring are anticipated by Harry W. Johnson, agent, for the J. I. Case Co.

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Geo. Russell, Proprietor O. K. Dray Line

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FROM THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

## BECAUSE

Irrigation makes the farmer independent of rain and insures good crops, not occasionally, but every year.

Irrigation makes possible the successful cultiva of alfalfa, the king of fodders, which insures best returns in dairying and mixed farming.

Irrigation means intensive farming and close settlement with all the advantages of a densely populated agricultural community.

Irrigation in the Canadian Pacific Railway Irrigation Block is no longer an experiment, the year 1914 having absolutely demonstrated its success wherever intelligently applied.

You can buy irrigated land from the Canadian Pacific Railway at prices ranging from \$35 to \$75 per acre, with twenty years to pay and a privilege to a loan of \$2,000 to \$5,000 for improvements (6% interest); no principal payment at the end of first and second years and no water rates for first year. Assistance is also given in supplying stock in approved instances.

This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record.

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OF

57 Head Cattle  
Registered Holstein Cows  
And Extra Good Grade Milch Cows  
and Young Cattle

These cows are an extra good bunch, being selected especially for the dairy business. Mostly purchased from the Duke of Sutherland's dairy farm at Unisfail.

ALSO

Two Extra Good Clydesdale Stallions,  
Some Shoats and Sows.

Thurs., Nov. 23, 1916  
Four miles East and half mile South  
of Dunmore. Ten o'clock a.m.

One Complete Outfit For Small Cheese  
Plant

Consisting of one 8-horse power boiler, one vat, 2000 lbs. capacity, one Gang cheese press. This outfit is now complete in every detail for starting a small factory.

## Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS are half cash, balance 1st of March, 1917, with approved joint bankable notes bearing 5% interest. If the position entitles to credit is paid by the 1st of January, 1917, no interest will be charged. Sums of fifty dollars or under cash. Decision of auctioneer to be final in case of dispute, and no article to be removed until settled for.

Geo. Satterlee, Ernest Cole,  
Auctioneer Prop.

## Announcement!

T. Hutchinson Saddlery Co. Announces Equipment of Shop  
With Machinery for Manufacturing Harness.

The T. Hutchinson Co., of Medicine Hat, who have announced to the farmers of this district that they have had equipped their workshop with the most modern and up-to-date machinery that is used for the manufacture of harness, and are now in a position to manufacture harness as cheaply as any other factory in Canada.

Moreover, in the face of the high prices of raw material and the high prices of labor, with the facilities we now have for making harness, we are going to lower the price of all harness. The fact of the matter is, we will be selling our own make of harness to the farmers at wholesale prices, illuminating the middleman's profit.

We are all aware of the fact that the manufacturers sell to the merchant and both must have a profit. But with our new system of selling direct from the manufacturer to you we are able to save you that middleman's profit.

We are not going to sell our harness at a less profit than we did under the old system, but with the latest models of machinery, we are going to be able to make the same harness out of the best materials at a reduction of about twenty percent., and we are going to give our customers the benefit of the discount.

Our new price lists will be completed in a few days and we will be pleased to quote prices on all kinds of harness and harness parts.

The T. Hutchinson Saddlery Co.  
623 Third St. Medicine Hat.

## Private Christmas Greeting Cards

LEAVE YOUR ORDER AT  
THE NEWS OFFICE

### METHODIST SERVICES

Alderson: 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School 11 a.m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Fertile Flats 3 p.m.

Rev. T. Taylor Pastor

### GEO. SATTERLEE AUCTIONEERING

City Property, Farm and Ranch Land.

Sells Anywhere in Alberta.

Arrangements with Geo. M. Thompson for Alderson District.

Office: 342 6th Ave. Medicine Hat.

Phone 2779.

### DATES.

Wednesday Nov. 8—Ladies' Aid Sale of Work at Meth. Church. Wednesday, Nov. 8—Debate in the Picture House.

Friday, Nov. 17—Charles Chaplin, in one a.m. at The Alderson Picture.

### Notice to Creditors

IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN STREVEL, late of Alderson, in the Province of Alberta, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late John Strevel, who died on or about the 1st day of April, A.D., 1916, are required to file with Messrs. Reilly & Lunney, at Calgary, Alberta, solicitors for the Executor of the Will of the said John Strevel, on or before the 30th day of November, A. D., 1916, a full statement of their claim and of their securities and then duly verified, and after that date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets as the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with Messrs. Reilly & Lunney.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 7th day of October, A.D., 1916.

REILLY & LUNNEY,

Solicitors for the Executor, John

Ryan.

Route 5, Burns Block, Calgary,

Alberta.

Approved,

Geo. W. Greene, J. D. C.

AUCTION SALES

COL. O. T. GOFF

Crys Auction Sales anywhere in Alberta.

The man who never says anything. Starvation Ranch, Jenner.

## The Price of Newspapers

The increase in the price of printing paper has become so serious that publishers are getting together to devise measures to meet the situation. Many have already increased their subscription rates and some have been forced to suspend publication.

We are advised, however, by the publishers of *The Family Herald* and *Weekly Star* of Montreal that for the present, anyway, there will be no increase in the price of that paper, and we are permitted to offer *The Family Herald and Weekly Star* along with *The Alderson News* for the small sum of \$2.25, that is one full year's subscription to each paper.

The offer is good only until November 30, 1916, as it may be found necessary to make a change then.

The Publishers of *The Family Herald* and *Weekly Star* notwithstanding the enormous increase in cost of production, have decided to spend more money than ever improving the paper and to give their great army of readers greater value than ever.

A full year's subscription to *The Alderson News* and *The Family Herald and Weekly Star* will cost only \$2.25, provided orders are received before November 30, 1916. Send your subscription to this office.

## To Investors

THOSE WHO, FROM TIME TO TIME, HAVE FUNDS REQUIRING INVESTMENT, MAY PURCHASE AT PAR

### DOMINION OF CANADA DEBENTURE STOCK

IN SUMS OF \$100 OR ANY MULTIPLE THEREOF.

Principal repayable 1st October, 1919.

Interest payable half-yearly, 1st April and 1st October by cheque (free of exchange at any bank in Canada) at the rate of five per cent. per annum from date of purchase.

Holder of this stock will have the privilege of surrendering at par and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash, in payment of any amount made under any future war loan issue in Canada other than an issue of Treasury Bills or other like short dated securities.

Proceeds of these stocks are for war purposes only.

A commission of one-quarter of one per cent will be allowed to recognized bond and stock brokers on allotments made in respect of applications for this stock which bear their stamp.

For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA.

OCTOBER 18, 1916.

## Did You Know

That allowing only 4 persons to a paper over 2,000 people scan the columns of this paper every week.

## THE QUESTION IS NOT

Whether you can afford to advertise in the News.

## THE QUESTION IS

Can you afford not to advertise in the News.

## Special Rate to

January 1st '17

### New Subscriptions

25 cts. in Canada

30 cts. in U. S.

## Business Directory

The following is a list of Alderson Business Houses as represented in the advertising columns of the News. The announcements of all these firms are in this issue. They are commended to the buying public. The names are arranged in alphabetical order.

### Automobiles and Accessories

N. E. Stuart & Co.

### Blacksmiths

Larsen & Alstrom

### Confectionery, Ice Cream, Tobacco, etc.

The Palace—R. H. Thornton, prop.

### Dry Goods, Groceries and General Merchandise

F. J. Brown

N. E. Stuart

F. C. Woolven

### Draying and Cartage

Pioneer Dray Line—Bailey Bros. Props., O. K. Dray Line—Geo. Russell, prop.

### Farm Machinery

F. E. McDermid—Great John Deere Plow Co.

### Financial Institution

The Union Bank of Canada, O. J. Wood, Mgr.

### Flour, Feed and Grain Dealers

Alberta Farmers Co-Operative Elevator, W. E. Hendricks, mrg. N. E. Stuart

### Hotels and Restaurants

Alderson Hotel, H. Johnson, prop.

American Hotel, McCrorie & Brown, props.

Alberta Hotel, W. J. Stubbs, Mgr.

### Lumber, Coal and Wood

Atlas Lumber Co. Chas. Riddle, mgr.

Finlay Lumber Co. G. M. Thompson, mgr.

### Printers and Publishers

The Alderson News, W. D. MacKay, Publisher.

### Shaving Parlors

The Club Barber Shop, G. J. Steele, prop.

### Shoe and Harness Repairing

L. P. Nelson.

### Theatres

Alderson Picture House, Albert Moore.

## A News Want Ad

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produces  
permanent  
prosperity

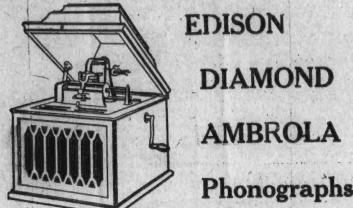




This old joint aint a bad place after all. Yer can always drop in and get

## De Big Feed

Keep this in mind



1. Diamond Point Reproducer.
2. No Needles to Change.
3. The Superior Tone of the Edison Ambrola is generally conceded.
4. Get one now and be happy ever afterwards.
5. Prices and styles to suit any pocket.
6. Terms arranged if needed.
7. Large stock of records on hand.

Write us for full information.

## Assiniboia Music Co.

Everything Musical

Hull Block - Medicine Hat

### BRING THEM IN

A. D. Thompson is buying Turkeys, Chickens, Geese and Ducks.

Prices:	Turkeys	20c pound
	Chickens	14c pound
	Geese	16c pound
	Ducks	14c pound

Must be ready for shipment.

A. D. THOMPSON

The Palace Ice Cream Parlor

R. H. THORNTON, Proprietor.

Tobacco Pouches Smoker's Supplies

A new line in those goods just in.

Now is the time to get the presents for the men in the trenches.

THE NEW CLUB

### POOL HALL

Invite your patronage.  
Largest and best in town.  
You will like our service.

BARBER SHOP

STEEL & CARLSON, Proprietors.  
Assay MEDICINE HAY LAUNDRY.

Bucket goes Monday, return on Thursday.

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shell holes or at the edge of them and a little cross stuck up to show what it is. Maybe there is a name written on with a pencil and maybe it is a bird or some have just (an unknown British soldier) or German or Canadian as the case may be. Sometimes there is a nice painted cross with name etc. on it or a stone that some seemed has had time to fix up. The shell holes are awfully thick as far as the eye can see. The only way I can express how they look would be like a great forest of trees very thick and some big stumps pulled had come along and uprooted the whole works and left nothing but the holes, some of them large enough to put your house in with ease and caused by one shell. We see lots of shell unexploded lying around in the ground, some of them six inch and up to 18 inches. A 15 inch shell weighs 1400 pounds, not counting the charge it takes to fire it, and if you are close to where the gun was, when it goes off it just about splits the ground in half. Only we wear steel helmets and have the strap under the chin so it can't

raise. They would be a good rig out there for a windy day, would take a lot of time to clean all

out now living in a former German house namely a dugout, which they were kind enough to vacate for us, and they don't even come around to collect the rent. It is about 12 feet long, has a roof of heavy posts covered with sheet iron and sand bags on top of that. The entrance is from a trench. There is a fire place in one end and the other is the entrance. One end is a few steps up and you can see bricks, pieces of farmers' wagons and things like that, the rest is shell holes that is all.

Well will close with love. From your son.

George B. Shields.

### Market Prices

Wheat No. 1 \$1.73 - No. 2. \$1.70  
No. 3. 1.67 Oats - 54c.  
Flax, \$2.30.  
PROVISIONS - Butter, 40c.  
Eggs, 35cts.

### Ribbing Up The Liberal

H. F. GADSBY, brilliant Canadian journalist, continues in the October number of MACLEAN'S MAGAZINE his notable series of Canadian political studies. In September he dealt with "The Duff Board." In this October issue he tells in detail of the Conservative party at the present time in the Liberal Party of Canada. In the November issue he will have an article on the Conservative Party in Canada. This issue is unique and of lively interest, partly due to Gadsby's racy style, and partly to the fact that he possesses "inside" information of a pip-ant sort.

### Is Permanent Peace Possible? By Stephen Leacock

Want do you think? Let Stephen Leacock give you fresh thought and material in his stimulating and well-informed article in the October MACLEAN'S.

### American Elections and the Great War

Agnes C. Laut Starts you in this article of hers in the October MACLEAN'S. Who will the American vote go to Hughes or Wilson? Miss Laut says Wilson will get it! Her vigorous mind, her "inside" information, and the robustness of her style make this contribution of hers refreshing reading.

The Man From Athabasca and Robert W. Service has another of his gripping at-the-front battles in the October MACLEAN'S - The story of a Grizzled Western Trapper who went overseas.

James Cawley (Mrs. Arthur MacLean's first permanent Magistrate in Canada) - A study of this forest woman, and of the significant Woman Movement in Western Canada.

### London Stage Favorites and Canadian Soldiers

Tells of the entertainment of our Canadian soldiers in camps, hospitals and convalescent homes, by eminent British players. The article abounds in portraits.

### Stories

Arthur Springer, Arthur E. McFarlane, Hopkins Moorehouse, and Mary E. Lowry—all Canadian born.

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### The Old Reliable Pioneer Store

We wish to draw your attention to our  
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Warm coats for Men,  
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### Groceries

We carry a fine clean up-to-date stock.

## F. C. Woollven

## The American Hotel

### Under New Management

Meals at all hours.

Up-to-date, Clean Rooms

Service and Satisfaction  
Guaranteed

Give Us A Trial

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Proprietors

## WHAT IS HOME

Without your local paper  
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We Manufacture  
Harness

Mr. Farmer you can buy your harness from us at the factory price with only one profit. Why pay a profit for the middle man when you can buy at actual wholesale. Come and see us before you buy. Bring your friends. Bring your money. Bring your catalogues. We will meet them all.

The T. Hutchinson Co. Ltd.,  
623 3rd St., Medicine Hat.